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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Gelu Voicu et al.

Assignee: Catalyst Semiconductor, Inc.

Title: Digital Potentiometer Including Plural Bulk

Impedance Devices

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RESPONSE TO FIFTH OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

Applicants submit the following remarks in response to the outstanding Office Action dated September 19, 2006. A petition for an extension of time, which extends the period for response to March 19, 2007, accompanies the present response.